## **CLAIMS**

## What is claimed is:

- A method for bonding a conductive element to a contact of a semiconductor device component, comprising:
  providing a semiconductor device component with at least one contact; and defining at least two layers of at least one conductive element from corresponding layers comprising substantially unconsolidated conductive material.
- 2. The method of claim 1, wherein said defining comprises causing said substantially unconsolidated conductive material in selected regions of said layers to at least partially consolidate.
- 3. The method of claim 1, further comprising, following said defining, permitting said substantially unconsolidated conductive material to at least partially consolidate.
- 4. The method of claim 1, wherein said providing said semiconductor device component comprises providing a carrier substrate.
- 5. The method of claim 1, wherein said providing said semiconductor device component comprises providing a semiconductor die.
- 6. The method of claim 1, wherein said providing said semiconductor device component comprises providing a packaged semiconductor device.
- 7. The method of claim 1, wherein said defining comprises defining said at least two layers from an at least partially liquified thermoplastic conductive elastomer.

- 8. The method of claim 7, further comprising, following said defining, permitting said at least partially liquified thermoplastic conductive elastomer to at least partially consolidate.
- 9. The method of claim 8, wherein said permitting said conductive material to at least partially consolidate comprises permitting said conductive material to at least partially harden.
- 10. The method of claim 1, wherein said defining comprises defining said at least two layers from an at least partially uncured conductive photopolymer.
- 11. The method of claim 10, wherein said defining comprises causing said at least partially uncured conductive photopolymer to at least partially consolidate.
- 12. The method of claim 11, wherein said causing said conductive material to at least partially consolidate comprises directing a laser beam onto selected regions of said layers of substantially unconsolidated conductive material.
- 13. The method of claim 1, wherein said defining comprises defining said at least two layers from metal particles.
- 14. The method of claim 13, wherein said defining comprises defining said at least two layers from resin-coated metal.
- 15. The method of claim 13, wherein said defining comprises securing said metal particles in selected regions of said layers of substantially unconsolidated conductive material to adjacent metal particles.
- 16. The method of claim 15, wherein said securing comprises directing an energy beam onto selected regions of said layers of substantially unconsolidated conductive material.